Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Adam Stamper Riley, son of Paul and Jo Riley, will graduate from T. F. Riggs High School in Pierre, South Dakota, on May 25, 2003, amidst the fanfare and celebration of family and friends; and,

Whereas, Adam's graduation is the culmination of many years of learning and studying, and apparently is going to happen despite hospitalizations for illness and hockey injuries; and,

Whereas, Adam's graduation from "Smiley Riley" to "Young Man" is of momentous concern to his mother; and,

Whereas, Adam's achievements are an inspiration to all young people of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, South Dakota's young people are our state's best investment in the future and our greatest hope for posterity; and,

Whereas, Adam Stamper Riley's personality, charm, and concern for friends and family will more than prepare him for the goals he has set for himself:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 25, 2003, as

ADAM STAMPER RILEY DAY

in South Dakota, and I personally join Adam's family, friends, and classmates in recognizing Adam's accomplishments of the past and his promise for the future.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State